be created to facilitate thermal coal imports. National Electricity Policy further enunciated that imported coal based thermal power stations, particularly at coastal locations, would be encouraged based on their economic viability. Use of low ash content coal would also help in reducing the problem of fly ash emissions. Under the development of Ultra Mega Power Project (UMPP) initiative, bidding process in respect of 2 projects namely Sasan, Madhya Pradesh and Mundra, Gujarat has been completed and bidding proocess in respect of two other projects namely Krishnapatanam, Andhra Pradesh and Tilaiya, Jharkhand is current underway. Of these Sasan and Tilaiya UMPPs are pit-head projects based on indigenous coal and Mundra and Krishnapatnam UMPPs are at coastal locations to be based on imported fuel. During the Eleventh Plan it is proposed to add 52,905 MW coal based capacity out of which only 1350 MW is to be on imported coal.

Pending proposal of Orissa under APDRP

4208. SHRI B.J. PANDA:
MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of proposals in the power sector of Orissa including under the Accelerated Power Development and Reforms Programme (APDRP) are pending with the Centre for approval;

(b) if so, the status thereof; and

(c) the time-frame within which these pending proposals will be cleared by the Centre?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE): (a) to (c) Requirement of concurrence of Central Electricity Authority for setting up thermal power projects has been dispensed with. No proposal for setting up of a hydro power project from Orissa is pending with Central Electricity Authority for concurrence. At present, under Accelerated Power Development and Reforms Programme (APDRP) also, no fresh proposal from the State of Orissa is pending. However, three projects received from Orissa have been cleared by the Steering Committee and its implementation is contingent upon continuation of APDRP scheme in the Eleventh Plan. Under Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana, out of 29 Detailed Project

Reports (DPRs) recevied from Orissa Government, 4 have been sanctioned for implementation in Phase-I of the Scheme Sanction of balance DPRs is dependent on the approval of continuation of Phase-II of the Programme.

Power generation targets during Tenth Five Year Plan

†4209. SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:
SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that decision for generation of additional power during Tenth Five Year Plan period was taken on a number of ocassions,

(b) if so, the details of such targets alongwith the time-frame fixed for achievement of these targets;

(c) whether even the last target could not be achieved; and

(d) if so, the gap between the actual generation capacity and the quantity of demand as per 16th Electricity Survey?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE): (a) to (c) Targets of power generation are fixed for various power stations on annual basis. Year-wise details of actual power generation and the target during the Tenth Plan are given below:

Year	Generation Target (MU)	Actual Generation (MU)	Actual Generation as % of target
2002-03	545552	531607	97.4
2003-04	572900	558336	97.5
2004-05	586412	587416	100.2
2005-06	621500	617510	99.4
2006-07	663000	662523	99.9

(d) The energy and peak demand at the end of Tenth Plan was 690587 MUs and 100715 MW against the 16th Electric Power Survey estimates of 719097 MUs and 115705 MW.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.